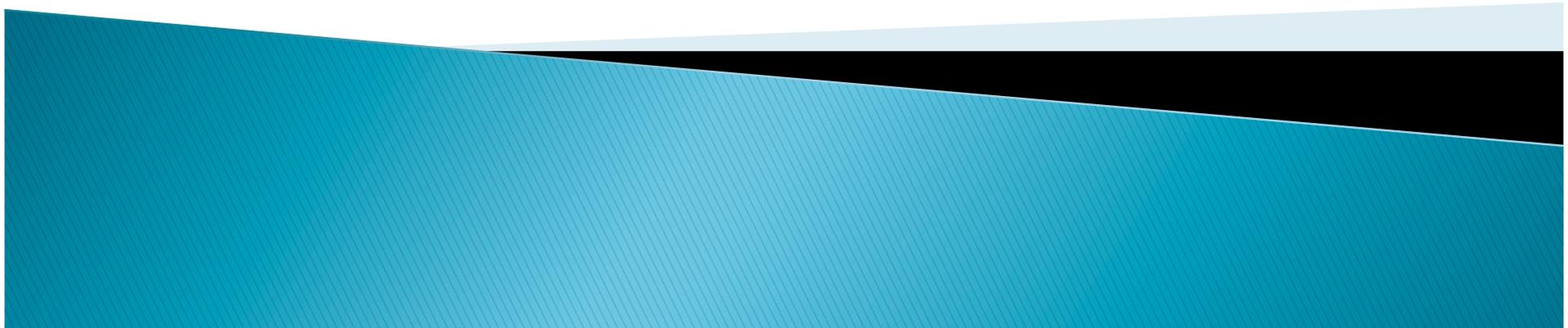


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Conficker panel discussion

▶ Panelists

- Stuart Stratthdee, Strategic Security, Microsoft
- John Crain, ICANN
- Eric Brunner–Williams, CORE
- Rodney Joffe, Neustar/UltraDNS
- Jay Daley, .nz
- Norm Ritchie, .ca

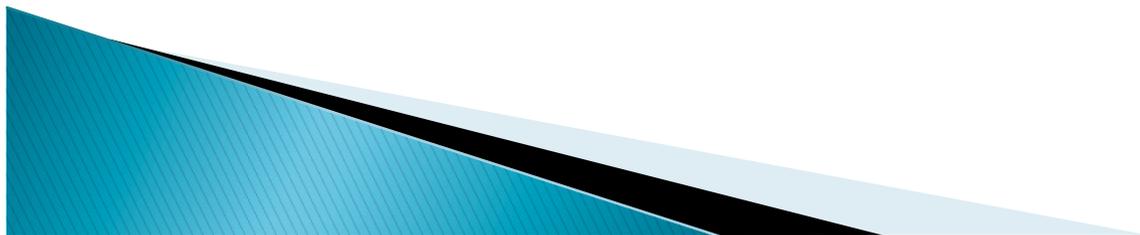
▶ Well–attended and engaging session

- 50% of attending registries were targeted by Conficker



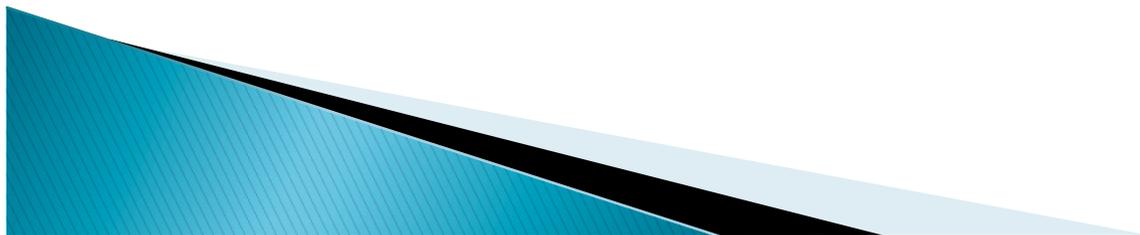
Conficker Response – Highlights

- ▶ Unprecedented cooperation and rapid response
 - ccTLD Registries
 - Cyber Security community
 - ICANN
- ▶ Inaction was not an option
 - Lack of response would result in repeated abuse of TLD



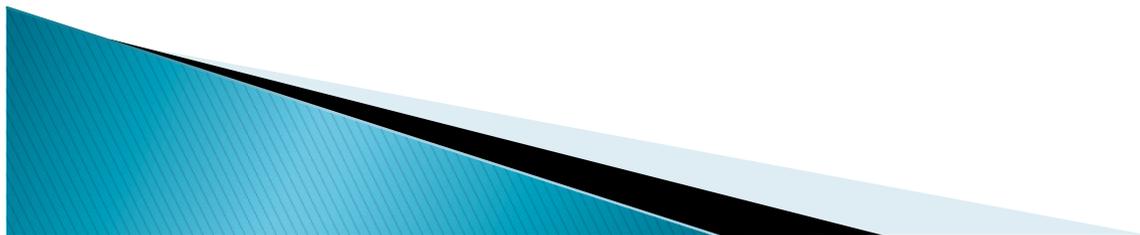
Conficker Response – Highlights

- ▶ It was not easy – we were not prepared
 - No established conduit for outreach
 - No mechanisms for blocking
 - Some domains already registered
 - No available resources
 - Lack of policies
 - Financial impact for some



Moving Forward

- ▶ There will be another ‘Conficker’
 - This was not a singular event
- ▶ Recommendation to the ccNSO
 - Establish process and procedures for emergency contact of ccTLDs registries
 - Unanimous show-of-hand support



Thank you

